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SUBMISSION OF SEQUENCE LISTING AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice dated March 6, 2002, and in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821-1.825, Applicants submit herewith the following:

A substitute copy of the Sequence Listing in computer readable form (ASCII text), 1. submitted on a 31/2" floppy disk compatible with IBM format complying with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.822 and/or 1.823.

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- 2. A statement in support of the filing and submission of a Sequence Listing in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821 1.825.
- 3. A copy of the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications containing Sequence Disclosures.

The time set for this response is May 6, 2002.

Applicants request favorable consideration and entry of the Sequence Listing submitted herewith and further and favorable processing of the present Application.

Applicants hereby authorize that any charges in addition to the above authorized that relate to the filing and processing of the present Application in accordance with 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 may be charged to Deposit Account No. 11-1153. A duplicate copy of this letter is provided for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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